<u>AMENDMENTS TO THE SPECIFICATION</u>

At paragraph [49]

Please amend paragraph [49] of the specification as follows:

[49] Fig. 2A is a flowchart illustrating an embodiment of an exemplary method 210 that may be utilized to establish secure association and authentication of a new or non-legacy media peripheral on the media exchange network of Fig. 1, in accordance with various aspects of the present invention. Referring to Fig. [[2B]]2A, in step 211, a new or non-legacy media peripheral may be connected to a PC and/or a media processing system on a media exchange network at a first location. In step 212, association software may be run on the PC or the media processing system. The association software may be part of a media exchange software (MES) platform installed on the PC or the media processing system, in accordance with an embodiment of the invention.

At paragraph [78]

Please amend paragraph [78] of the specification as follows:

[78] United States Patent Application Serial No. 10/675,382[[]](Attorney Docket No. 14276US02) filed September 30, 2003, provides an exemplary media view and a device view, which may be part of an media guide interface in accordance with various embodiments of the invention, and is hereby incorporated herein by reference in its entirety. United

States Patent Application Serial No. 10/675,467[[]](Attorney Docket No. 14278US02) filed September 30, 2003, provides an exemplary channel view or channel guide, which may also be part of an media guide interface in accordance with various embodiments of the invention, and is hereby incorporated herein by reference in its entirety.